

# **ÇUKUROVA UNIVERSITY MEVLANA EXCHANGE PROGRAM 2018-2019 Academic Year Application**



Dear Partners,

For the 2018-2019 Academic Year, we are pleased to inform you that the applications for the Mevlana Exchange Programme has started. Below you can find the application schedule. Students and academic staff exchange applications will be received based on the Mevlana Protocol between our Institutions.

Call for Exchange in Higher Education Institutions/ Receiving the applications for the Exchange Programme/ Assessment of Applications	07.02.2018- 26.02.2018
Assessment of Applications	26.02.2018- 02.03.2018
Reporting the assessment results to the Council of Higher Education in Turkey	16.03.2018

#### **Application Requirements for Student:**

- 1. Students should be studying at associate degree, bachelor degree, master degree or PhD degree of any higher education programmes
- 2. Grade point average (GPA) of associate degree and undergraduate students must be at least **2,5** on a 4 point scale.
  - Grade point average (GPA) of graduate students (MA, PhD) must be at least **3,00** on a 4 point scale.
- 3. The final score is calculated according to the formula below:

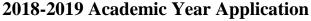
<u>Mevlana Exchange Programme Score</u> = **50%** GPA + **50%** of valid language score

4. The students studying in their first year at associate or bachelor degree and the students of preparation classes and scientific preparation programmes of graduate degrees cannot participate in this programme at their first semester.

# Other Aspects Related to Mevlana Exchange Programme:

- 1. Students may apply to the Mevlana Exchange Programme Coordination Office of his/her university after filling the required forms properly. Students may study abroad for one (minimum) or two (maximum) semesters. Semester periods may be different considering the education systems, but the total exchange period cannot exceed one academic year.
- 2. All academic staff, working in higher education institutions with Mevlana Exchange Protocol, may apply to Mevlana Exchange Programme Coordination Offices of their institutions. Academic staffs may participate in Mevlana Exchange Programme, and they may lecture abroad from two weeks (minimum) to three months (maximum).
- 3. Students do not pay any tuition fees to the host institution during the programme, but they continue to pay the obligatory tuition fees to their home institutions. They do not pay any 1 extra fee to the host institution within the scope of the exchange programme. In addition, they

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continue to take their other scholarships and grants in their home countries and they have to do registration in their home institutions.

### **Scholarship**

- For the academic year of 2017-2018, students awarded with a Mevlana scholarship will be paid 1000 TL monthly.
- 80% of total scholarship will be paid monthly during mobility period. For the student's remaining scholarship payment, the ratio of total credits of the succeeded courses to the courses that the student is obliged to take as obligatory courses will be considered.

#### **Grants for Academic Staff:**

REGIONS/ CONTINENTS	Daily Allowance for Professors, Associate Professors, and Assistant Professors	Daily Allowance for other academic titles	Allowance for Travel Expenses
Asia-Pacific, Latin America, North America	50 TL	40 TL	4.400 TL
Sub-Saharan Africa, Central Asia	50 TL	40 TL	3.300 TL
Europe, South Caucasia, South Asia, Middle East, North Africa	50 TL	40 TL	2.500 TL

## **Application Documents:**

#### **For Students:**

- 1. Candidate Student Application Form
- **2.** Student Information Form
- **3.** Up-to-date Transcript of Records
- 4. Valid Language Assessment Record

#### For Academic Staff:

- 1. Academic Staff Information Form
- 2. Academic Portfolio, including details about the courses given, of publications and projects carried out

We kindly request you to submit the application documents to Cukurova University Mevlana Coordinatorship by e- mail (both to <a href="mevlana@cu.edu.tr">mevlana@cu.edu.tr</a>\_ and<a href="mevlana@gmail.com">cu.mevlana@gmail.com</a>) until **26.02.2018** and then, to send the originals by regular post.

Should you need further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards,

**Cukurova** University International Office Mevlana Exchange Program Coordinatorship